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RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Reno Ronco
President
Quicksilver Resources, Inc.
P.O. Box 2150
Cut Bank, MT 59427

Re: Underground Injection Control (UIC)
Notice of Violation
Failure to Submit Annular Pressures on Annual Monitoring Report
Glacier County, MT

Dear Mr. Ronco:

Owners and operators of Class II injection wells are required to submit annual monitoring reports, and when applicable, a chemical analysis of injected fluids for the prior calendar year by February 15. The Environmental Protection Agency's records indicate that we have received incomplete annual monitoring reports for the wells listed in the table below for calendar year 2013. These reports, which include the monthly minimum and maximum annular pressures, are required by the permit for the wells operated by Quicksilver Resources, Inc. The form 7520-11, Annual Disposal/Injection Well Monitoring Report, has columns for recording minimum and maximum tubing-casing annulus pressures. Even though column heading indicates that annular pressure reporting is optional, reporting of annular pressures is not optional if the UIC permit for a well states that it is required. Quicksilver Resources, Inc.'s failure to comply with this requirement is a violation of the permits for its wells.

The wells listed below are in violation of this requirement:

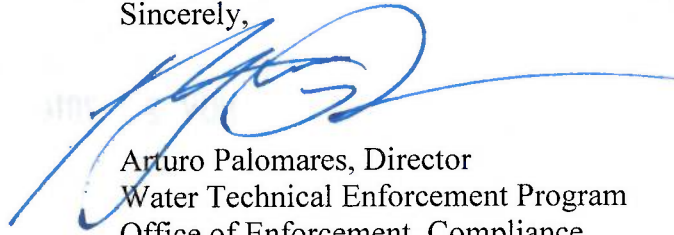
Well Name	UIC Permit	Missing information
TSCBSU 9	MT20485-01951	Annular pressures
CBAU 1-14 H	MT20485-03744	Annular pressures

If you have the missing monitoring data, please submit it to the EPA immediately.

Failure to comply with a UIC Permit, or the UIC regulations found at 40 CFR Parts 144 through 148 constitute one or more violations of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300h. Such non-compliance may subject you to formal enforcement by the EPA, as codified at 40 CFR Part 22.

If you have any questions concerning this letter, you may contact Don Breffle at (303) 312-6198. Please direct all correspondence to the attention of Don Breffle at Mail Code 8ENF-UFO.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'AP', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Arturo Palomares, Director
Water Technical Enforcement Program
Office of Enforcement, Compliance
and Environmental Justice

cc: The Honorable Harry Barnes, Chairman, Blackfeet Tribe
Gerald Wagner, Environmental Director, Blackfeet Tribe
George Hudak, Montana Board of Oil & Gas Conservation